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Del Bonita, AB

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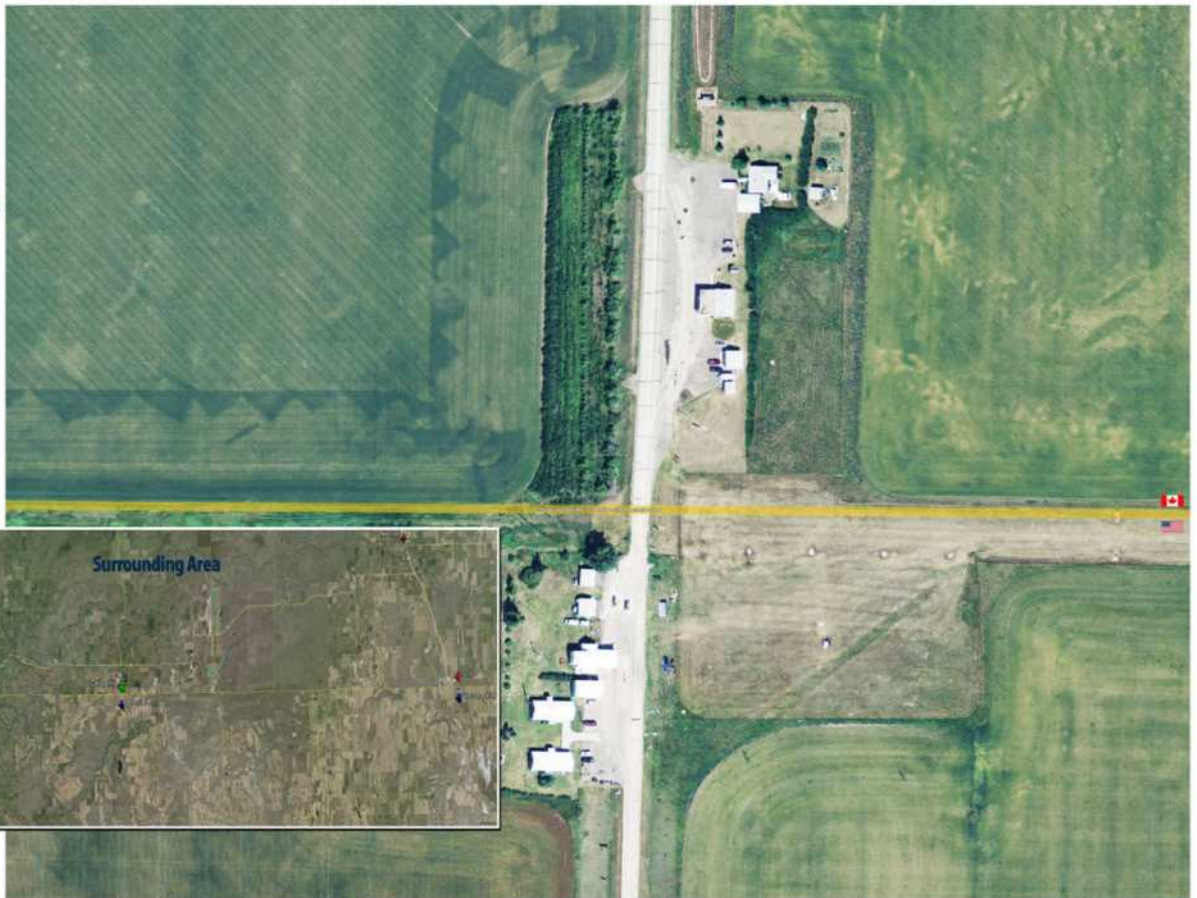
1. Introduction

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**CBSA ASFC**

Del Bonita, AB
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2. General Information

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2.1 Port Code

708

2.2 Port of Entry Address

Hwy #62 South
General Delivery
Del Bonita, Alberta
T0K 0S0

PHONE: (403) 758-3248

2.3 Hours of Operation

*Reduced Covid Hours

09:00 to 17:00

Monday to Friday

Travellers:

Seasonal:

8:00 to 21:00

June 1 to September 15

Seven days/week

9:00 to 18:00

September 16 to May 31

Seven days/week

Commercial:

09:00 to 17:00

Monday to Friday (except holidays)

2.4 Service Offered

- Commercial
- Traveller
- Small Aircraft Airport
- Limited Immigration

Regional Traveller or Commercial Programs in Operations at POE

- *EDI*
- *EXPORT*
- *HWY/B*
- *AOE/15*

Community Overview

- Del Bonita is a hamlet in southern Alberta, Canada within Cardston County. It is located at the junction of Highway 62 and Highway 501. POE serves as an access and return point for the residents of Lethbridge and surrounding areas.

2.5 Major Access Routes (Canadian / US)

- **Canadian Access**
 - Highway 62
- **US Access**
 - Montana Secondary Highway 213, Del Bonita, Montana

2.6 Nearest 24/7 Canadian/U.S. POE

- Coutts, AB – 81km

2.7 Proximity to closest law enforcement response (RCMP, Border Patrol, SQ, OPP)

- Border Patrol: Located in Cut Bank, MT about 35 minutes away

- RCMP: Located in Raymond, AB about 40 minutes away

2.8 Opposite US Port of Entry

- Del Bonita MT
<https://www.cbp.gov/contact/ports/del-bonita-mt>

2.9 U.S. POE Hours of Operation

8:00 AM-9:00 PM(Mountain)

- Seven Days A Week (7)
- 9:00 AM-6:00 PM(Mountain)
- Seven Days A Week (7)

2.10 Number of Primary Inspection Lines (PIL) booths, designated bilingual lanes, Secondary

Primary	Lanes
Passenger-Only	1
Commercial-Only	0
Mixed (Passenger/Commercial) including Bi-Level	1
Bus-Only	0
Dedicated Nexus/Trusted Travellers	0
Total Number of Lanes at the Port	2
<i>Of the total number of lanes, the number of lanes designated bilingual</i>	0

Secondary	
Secondary Examination Capacity (This is the # of vehicles that can be parked in the secondary examination area)	1
Examination Bays	1
Other (please specify)	0

2.11 Contraband Detection Equipment

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2.12 DETECTOR DOG TEAMS

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2.13 Signage

BILINGUAL:

- Welcome to Canada
- All Persons Must Report to Border Inspection
- Border inspection
- Del Bonita

2.14 Trusted Traveller programs available:

NO

2.15 Greeters and Queuing officers

NO

2.16 Non-governmental organizations (NGO) for government sponsored refugee reception

NO

2.17 Key Stakeholders

n/a

2.18 Other government departments (OGD)'s on site

NO

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3. Human Resources

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3.1 Staffing Level

Staffing Level	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-2021	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-2023
Border services officers (BSOs)	5	5	5	6	6	6	5	5	5
Superintendents	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Staff	6	5	6	7	7	7	6	6	6

Source: SASSD

3.2 Number of staff bilingual and number of staff fluent in languages other than English and French

0

3.3 Variable Shift Scheduling Agreement (VSSA) or Other

VSSA

3.4 Local Training Initiatives to Improve Services Provided by Officers

NO

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4. Volumes and Statistics

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4.0 Number of Travellers

Number of Travellers	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22
Passengers	63,143	59,622	58,372	41,955	59,993	55,604	2,900	7,940
Conveyance Total	-	-	-	-	27,551	25,838	2,481	5,532

Source: CMRS passage cube, NEXUS Hwy & IPIL Hwy

4.1 Number of Conveyance

Number of conveyance	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22
Cars	28,153	25,836	25,911	26,055	26,927	24,796	1,044	3,494
Trucks	848	1,225	2,143	1,547	623	1,042	1,437	2,037
Buses	1	2	5	3	1	0	0	1
Private Aircraft	17	20	19	12	17	3	-	-

Source: CMRS, Traveller Ops Cube

4.2 Peaks and Valleys

- **Port User Profile**

- Local small businesses from Southern Alberta commonly import goods through the POE on a daily basis.
- Most traffic using this POE are returning residents from Southern Alberta with a significant amount of US traffic using the POE to access Canadian destinations.

- **Time of Day Port Usage**

- Peak traffic hours are between 14:00 and 19:00. Busiest days are Sunday's and holiday Monday's

4.3 Major Importer/Exporter and Importations/Exportations

- Various equipment and agriculture related items
- Small business imports

4.4 Number of Commercial Releases

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22
Commercial Releases	452	545	548	622	604	556	2,447

Source: CMRS

4.5 Number of Enforcement Measures

Enforcement Actions	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22
K19 Traveller Seizures	7	10	0	2
Narcotics / Drugs / Chemicals	6	10	0	2
K24 (previously) BSF241 (<i>starting 2013</i>)	39	42	1	6
Prohibited Goods (Non ICES)	32	27	1	6

Source: *ICES and CMRS

4.6 Documents Issued Related to the Food, Plant, and Animal Program

	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22
Number of FPA documents issued	401	662	20	53

Source: SASSD

4.7 Number of Immigration Documents

Type of Immigration Document	FY 2012-13	FY 2013-14	FY 2014-15	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22
Allowed to Leave	69	31	12	27	28	-	12	12	2	4
Inadmissibility Report (Sec. 44)	0	0	1	0	2	-	0	2	0	0
Refugee Claims	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	2	0	0
Student Permit	1	4	1	1	51	-	1	3	2	0
Work Permit	61	13	6	2	53	-	14	13	7	15
Permanent Resident	23	27	33	38	31	-	22	11	1	0
Visitor Record	16	19	20	27	24	-	13	14	5	19
TRP	3	0	2	0	3	-	0	0	0	1

Forms Issued Del Bonita	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22
204 - Amending Accounting Docs (B2)	0	0	0	0
205 - ATA Carnets	4	2	0	0
206 - B116 Duty Free	0	0	0	0
207 - B117 Duty Free	0	0	0	0
208 - B13As Received	0	0	0	0
209 - BSF192s (E24) Issued	4	1	0	0
210 - BSF241s (K24) Issued	39	42	1	6
211 - BSF242s (E44) Issued	0	0	0	0
212 - BSF375s (E99) Issued	0	0	0	0
213 - BSF433 (K23A) Issued	0	0	0	0
214 - BSF715s (B15s) Issued	2,035	2,382	152	313
218 - E29Bs Issued	0	1	1	0
219 - Form 1 Issued - Exempt from RIV Program	18	14	2	10
220 - Form 1 Issued - RIV Program	18	10	3	11
221 - Form 3 Issued	1	0	0	0
222 - K11s Received	0	0	0	0
223 - K21s Issued	396	363	191	443
224 - E667, E668, E677 Issued	0	2	0	2
225 - BSF186s (B4) Issued	7	6	4	4
227 - BSF616s (A23) Issued	0	0	0	0
228 - All Other Permits Issued	333	445	0	3
229 - Y38 Issued	19	7	0	2

Source: Cognos

4.8 Number of complaints/commendations

	FY 2015-16	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20	FY 2020-2021	FY 2021-2022
Complaints	n/a	n/a	4	0	2		1
Commendations	n/a	n/a	0	0	0		1

Source: Regional Programs

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5. Risks

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The following risks have been identified for the **Land Traveller Stream** in the National Border Risk Assessment document :

1. **Prohibited Firearms** - In 2010, IBET was aware of s.37 are known to smuggle through the POEs. A number of s.37 with motorcycles gangs, including the Hells Angels in s.37 Many of the individuals involved in drug smuggling are believed to be violent criminals s.37
2. **POE interdicts US foreign nationals for undeclared firearms.**
3. **Drugs** - Drugs are often encountered at the land border, s.37
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The following vulnerabilities have been identified for the **Land Traveller Stream** in the same document:

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6. Future Patterns

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Anticipate that the POE will continue to serve as an access and return point for residents of the Lethbridge and Southern AB area. No changes are expected in commercial or immigration usage.

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7. Other

The Pacific Region's WIKI has an excellent resource for [Synthetic Opioids \(incl. Fentanyl and Analogues\)](#).

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7.1 Business Continuity Planning: Date of Last Update

n/a

7.2 IT Services Available

- **Software available:**

- s.37 Internet (extern - 5 workstations) Microsoft office, Excel, Word, Outlook, Power point, Adobe Acrobat reader

- **After hours IT Services:**

NO

7.3 Pertinent Information Related to the Infrastructure

- **Infrastructure/facility conditions**

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- **Footprint**

- Shared Areas:
- Mechanical Room
- Janitorial Storage Areas
- Lunch Rooms
- Maintenance Areas
- Some building Access point
- Staff Rest Area
- Locker Rooms
- Washrooms

7.4 Miscellaneous

POE is affected by environmental events such as extreme weather and high winds.

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